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NEW GOODS.

JOHN F. TOWNSEND,

Has this Day Opened,

A FEW Packages of NEW GOODS, among which are :—Superfine Cloths and Cassimeres; very fine white Flannell; blue and yellow Nankins, of a superior quality; English patent ditto; striped and very fine white Jean, for pantaloons; fine white Marseilles. patent suspenders; hemp and cotton Hose; boys and misses hose; Crape Shawls; imitation, merino and cassimere ditto; steam-loom cotton Shirtings; Wellington and other Calicoes; cotton and linen damask Table Cloths and Napkins; damask Linen for ditto; English and Russia Diaper and Crash; pink, blue and buff Ginghams; thread laces; tortoise shell combs; fine linen Cambric; fine India book muslin; cambric and other dimities; linen cambric Handkerchiefs; counterpanes; furniture Dimitiy and Chintz; white Stockingnet for pantaloons; Kidderminster Floor Carpeting, &c. &c.

Also, constantly on hand,

A General Assortment of excellent FACTORY GOODS, such as Bedticking, Plaids, Stripes, Checks, shirting Cottons, warp and filling, of the best quality—all which he will sell at low prices.

Newport, June 26. tf

CHINA & GLASS WARE.

Archibald Munro & Co.

Have just received and for Sale, at the South Wing of the R. I. Union Bank.

SEVENTY Crates and Packages well assorted Liverpool and India WARE, consisting of :—

Blue printed Teas and Coffees
do do Tea-pots, sugar, creams
do. bowls, quarts, pints and half-pints
do. Plates, twifflers, muffins
do. Jugs, 4, 2 and 1 quarts, pints and half pints
do. Chambers, Ewers, Basins
do. Dinner and Tea Setts
Enamelled Tea-Pots, sugars, milks
do. Teas, Coffees
do. Jugs, 4 6 12 & 24s.
do. Bowls
Blue and green-edged Plates, twifflers and muffins
do. Dishes from 10 to 18 inches
Cream-colored Plates, Twifflers, Miffins
do. Dishes, from 9 to 16 inches
do. Chambers, 4s and 6s
do. Basins, 4s and 6s
do. Bowls, quart, pint and half pint
do. Jugs do do do
do. Teas and Cans
Tea-sets, grape-leaf, landscape & lustre
do. in boxes (India)
Lustre Jugs, 2 & 1 quart, pint & half pint
Double-flint cut-glass Decanters, quarts and pints
do. Tumblers and Wines
do. Peppers, Mustards and Salts
Common Tumblers and Wines

A L S O,

Ten Crates of assorted WARE, suitable for the country.

☞ Crates re-packed at short notice, and low prices

Newport, June 26.

FOR SALE,

A FARM very pleasantly situated in Portsmouth, on the road leading to the Farm of the late *Samuel Elam* and near the main road from Newport to the Stone Bridge.—Said Farm contains about 38 Acres, of which 10 acres are orcharding, a wood lot of 7 acres, and the remainder is tillage and meadow land, on which is cut 8 tons of Hay early.—There is on the Farm a two-story Dwelling-House almost new, barn, crib, and several out houses, all in good repair.

A L S O,

A Wood Lot in Middletown, of about Acres on which is a growth of thrifty young Wood.—For further particulars and terms, apply to

WILLIAM TILLEY.

Newport, June 26.

FOR SALE,

THE Dwelling-House and 2 Lots of Land now occupied by the Subscriber, situated in Warner-street. The House is in very good repair. The Lots will be sold either separately or together.—For terms, &c. apply to

SAMUEL ALMY.

Newport, June 26.

NEW GOODS.

SOLOMON TOWNSEND,

No. 157, Thames-Street,

HAS just received from Boston, a large Assortment of DRY GOODS, which will be Sold cheap for CASH.

Newport, June 26.

Premium for Spanish Dollars !

J. C. SHAW,

WILL pay a fair Premium for Spanish mill'd DOLLARS, if applied to immediately.

Newport, June 26.

Rum, Sugars, Teas, &c.

Archibald Munro, & Co.

Have just received and for Sale, at the South Wing of the R. I Union Bank.

20 Hhds. St. Croix RUM, pure as imported.
10 do. Antigua Do.
5 Boxes Havanna white SUGARS
15 bbls. do. brown Do.
5 Chests Hyson } TEAS
10 do. Young Hyson } TEAS
10 do. Hyson-skin } TEAS
Bohea, Souchong, Sunchi, } TEAS
20 Boxes Doolittle's Soap.
5 do. Starch
10 do. Claret Wine—15 do Prunes
5 do. Smyrna Figs—Bloom Raisins
10 kege Jamaica Ginger
100 bales Cassia
40 bbls. Richmond Flour
12 jars Maccabau Snuff
500 lbs. common Do.
5 Bags Pimento
do. Pepper and Coffee
10 bbls. Brooklyn Gin.

Newport, June 26.

☞ Farmers Take Notice.

150 Bushels of good Clean ORCHARD GRASS SEED, is Wanted, to be delivered as early this Fall or Winter as possible, and for which the highest price will be given.—Apply at this Office

Newport, June 26.

Flour & Tobacco.

50 bbls best Richmond Superfine FLOUR

10 Kegs first quality Richmond TOBACCO

Just received and for Sale, by

WILLIAM CROOKE.

Newport, June 12.

Public Balls.

F. C. Shaffer,

Respectfully informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of Newport, and its vicinity

THAT his PUBLIC BALLS will commence on every MONDAY Evening, at the *Masonic Hall*, from half past 7, to half past 11 o'clock.—Terms, Six Dollars per quarter, for Subscribers—Strangers Tickets, One Dollar.—Gentlemen have the privilege of inviting as many Ladies as they choose.—For further particulars, apply to Mr. S. at the Hall, on every Monday.

Newport, June 26 3w

MARMADUKE WARD

Informs his Friends and the public in general.

THAT he continues to keep a House of Entertainment, at the old stand, No. 9 Long-wharf, three doors westward of the Brick-market, where Ladies and Gentlemen may be accommodated on the most reasonable terms, and be supplied with the best the market affords.

☞ Good Stabling for Horses.

For Sale,

The wood-work of a two-horse Waggon, made by a good workman, and is suitable for a family going into the Western country.

Newport, June 19.

SEASONABLE GOODS.

INDIA and French Levantine, Canton Crape, imitation Merino, Merino, Cashmere and Cotton SHAWLS.

Embroidered, coloured, and plain fancy SILK HANDKERCHIEFS.

Canton and Nankin CRAPES.

Double Levantine, double Florence, and Plaid SILKS.

Gauniture, fringed, plaid and plain lustring and Sattin RIBBONS.

Imitation, India, book, mull mull, jaconet, figur'd ditto, cambric, leno and brown MUSLINS.

4-4 London, printed, white and coloured 4 4 and 6-4 CAMBRICS.

Striped and plaid pink, buff and other GINGHAMS.

Company, plain and blue NANKINS

Gentlemen's bleached and unbleached mix'd cotton, and silk, whole and half HOSE

Ladies lace, and other Silk and Cotton ditto.

White silk Lace	White Italian
Parasols	Crapes
White Jeans	Extra fine white
White Marseilles	Welting.

The above are for Sale, at the North Wing of the Rhode-Island Union Bank, by

JAMES HAMMOND.

With the following,

Irish Linens	Bombazetts
Irish Sheeting	Bombazeens
Cotton Shirting	Florentines
India Shirtings	Silk Velvets
Dimities	Tabby Velvets
Cambric Dimity	Silk Umbrellas
Furniture ditto	Cotton ditto
5-6-7 and 8-4 cotton Damask	Web's suspenders
3-4 linen Diaper	Silk and Kid Gloves
8 4 linen Damask	Undres'd Prints
Linen cambric Handkerchiefs	Extra fine Tapes
Long Lawns	Thread Laces.

A L S O,

American Cotton Goods,

Consisting of Bedticks—Plaids—Stripes—Sheetings—Shirtings—Counterpanes—Checks—Warps—Fillings—Knitting Yarns—Threads and Slacks.

Also, for Sale as above

A General Assortment of

BOOKS & STATIONARY

PAPER-HANGINGS,

CARPETINGS,

Looking-Glasses and Brushes.

Newport, June 13.

Strike while the Iron is hot !

WM. JAMES TILLEY,

No 124, Thames-street.

Will open This Day, and on Wednesday next,

A GENERAL Assortment of GOODS, suitable for the Season, among which are :—Broadcloths, Cassimeres black, white and brown Mandarin Crapes, for gentlemen's wear; also assorted Canton Crapes, for Ladies; black and brown bombazeens, poplins, Silk Shawls and Handkerchiefs, Spinchaws, Sarsnetts and Lutstrings, very cheap and good.—*Also*, figur'd silk for Ladies Bonnets; and a great variety of other GOODS too numerous to mention—all of which will be sold low for CASH

Newport, June 6. 6w

TO LET,

THREE Rooms in No. 5, Church street, with part of a Cellar, and a small Garden—the entrance to said Rooms is from the outside of the house, and does not interfere with any other part of it—Apply as above

Newport, June 20

TO LET.

PART of a Dwelling-House, situated in Broad Street, No. 40 and suitable for a small family—For terms, &c. apply to the Subscriber on the premises.

JOSHUA TRIPP.

Newport, June 19.

NEW GOODS,

THOMAS H. MUMFORD,

& No. 119, &

HAS just received from NEW-YORK, a choice Assortment of

New and Fashionable GOODS,

Among which are :—

Broadcloths and Cassimeres; Canton Crapes; Lutestrings; Waterloo, Merino, Silk and Crape SHAWLS; Bombazets of various colours; blue and yellow Nankeens; Linen and cotton Shirtings; Furniture chintz and fancy Calicoes; men's and women's cotton, worsted and silk Hose; Cotton, Flag and bandanno Handkerchiefs; white and coloured Cambrics, &c &c.

A few Pieces Handsome

Floor Carpetings.

All of which will be Sold Cheap for CASH.

Newport, May 29.

Bank of Rhode-Island.

THE Stockholders are notified, that a Dividend will be declared and paid at this Bank, on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of July next, to such persons as shall appear by the books of this Institution to be Stockholders therein, on the 25th June inst and according to the Stock standing in their names, in said books, on said day.

By order of the President & Directors,

W. MARCHAN., *Cashier.*

Newport, June 18.

Rhode-Island Union Bank.

NOTICE.

A SEMI-ANNUAL Dividend will be declared and paid on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of July, 1818, and on every succeeding day during Bank hours, until completed, to the Stockholders whose names stand on the books of this Institution on the 27th inst. or to their legal representatives, on which day transfers of shares cease until the aforesaid 1st of July.

And on MONDAY, the 6th day of July, at 11 o'clock A. M a Stockholders' Meeting will be held at their Banking house for the election of Nine Directors for the year ensuing, agreeably to Charter, and for transacting such other business as may be laid before them.

By order of the President & Directors,

JOHN L. BOSS, *Cashier.*

Newport, June 18.

New-England Commercial Bank.

THE General Assembly of this State, at their late Session having authorised the Board of Directors of this Institution to add two more to their number, WILLIAM ENNIS was elected a Director, and also AARON F. DYER, in the place of JOHN L. BOSS, jun. who declined.

WILLIAM C. GIBBS having this day resigned the Presidency, WILLIAM ENNIS was unanimously appointed President of this Institution.

W. T. DELLINGHAM, *Cashier.*

Newport, June 15, 1818.

NOTICE.

THE Stockholders of the NEW-ENGLAND COMMERCIAL BANK are hereby notified, that the Third Instalment of FIVE DOLLARS on each Share, will be due on or before MONDAY, the 6th day of July next, agreeably to Charter, and will be received at said Bank.

W. T. DELLINGHAM, *Cashier.*

Newport, June 18, 1818.

Narragansett Bank.

THE Stockholders are hereby notified, That a Dividend will be declared and paid on MONDAY, the 6th day of July next, and on every succeeding day, during Bank hours, until compleated, to such persons as the books of this Institution will shew to be Stockholders on the 1st day of July.

By order of the President & Directors

SAMUEL E GARDINER, *Cashier.*

Wickford, June 19, 1818.

BEEF & PORK

L. ROUSMANIERE,

No. 2, Market-Square,

Has just received from Boston,

100 barrels No. 1 Beef.
30 Do. Do. PORK.
30 Do. Mess BEEF.
30 Do. No. 1 Do.

Newport, June 20.

NEW GOODS

JOB SHERMAN,

Informs his Friends and the public,

THAT he has just received a choice Assortment of

New and Fashionable GOODS.

Suited to the present season.—Among them are :—Crapes, Silks, Conquan's, Calicoes; Crape, Silk and Imitation SHAWLS; do plain Shawls; superfine India and scotch book Muslins; English patent Nankeens; India, buff and blue ditto; cheap Linens at $2 50 per piece, &c. &c.

A L S O,

An Assortment of GROCERIES, &c. consisting of Hy-on, Young Hyson, Hyson-skin, Souchong and Bohea TEAS, Sugar, Coffee, and a variety of other articles too numerous to mention

Newport, 12 h of 6th mo. 1818

Silk, Cotton and Woollen Dyers, and restorers of Spotted Goods.

THE Subscribers would respectfully inform their friends and the public that they have encreased their machinery and are now able to Dye and finish Goods in a superior style, and with great despatch.—They have discovered a new and valuable method of restoring Spotted Goods, occasioned by dampness of almost every description—such as Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Silks, Sattins, coloured Cottons, &c. (unless mildewed) to their original perfect state, without the least injury to the Goods whatever, for which they have obtained Letters Patent.—They have appointed

JOB SHERMAN, in Newport,

their Agent to receive and deliver all Goods left with him for the purpose of being dyed.

JOHN & AARON HALL.

Boston, June 5, 1818.

ISAAC GOULD,

No. 176, Thames-Street,

Has just received via New-York,

A CHOICE Assortment of Fashionable GOODS, among which are,

Real Saxon black blue and fancy BROADCLOTHS.

Black blue Coburgh mixt, French blue, spring green, silver mixt, buff and drab CASSIMERES.

Newest patterns Marseilles Vestings.

First quality Mandarin Crape, and black silk Florentine.

5-4 black French Bombazeen, for pantaloons.

7-4 white Vidonia Cloth for the Military.

A variety of twill'd and plain Bombazetts.

White sattin Jean; common ditto.

Blue and yellow company Nankins.

Super gilt Buttons; Leopold star twist ditto.

A L S O,

An Assortment of middling and low priced Broadcloths and Cassimeres.

Many of the above GOODS having been purchased at Auction for CASH, will be sold very low for that article, or to punctual customers on short credit.

Newport, June 12

CINCINNATI.

THE Members of the Society of CINCINNATI in the State of Rhode-Island, are hereby notified, that their Annual Meeting will be holden at the State-House in Providence, on SATURDAY, the 4th of July next, at 9 o'clock A M at which time and place, a general and punctual attendance is requested.

Members of other Societies of Cincinnati, who may be in town, or in the vicinity, are respectfully invited to attend.

By Order,

SAMUEL SNOW, *Secretary.*

Providence, June 16.

From the Connecticut Courant.

The Brief REMARKER.

THE *Play* that was first invented for mere amusement, was no sooner adopted by avarice, but it turned to be *gaming*; and through this transmutation of its nature as well as name, it has proved one of the greatest scourges of community, every where, in all the four quarters of the world.

Avarice is a mother-sin, of whose numerous brood Gaming is the most haggard and wretched: for how abundant soever be its prey, it never thrives: it devours innumerable fattings, and yet remains ever lean itself. There is a curse upon its basket and store; a curse that blights its gains, and turns its enjoyments into wormwood and gall. Neither is this to be wondered at, when we consider the objects of gaming; the principles of the art; and the certain and necessary consequences of the practice or habit.

The main object of the gamester, is to acquire wealth by plunder; utterly regardless of the age, or sex, or circumstances, of any who fall into his toils; for it makes no difference, whether the victim be a stranger or a familiar acquaintance, a man of age and experience or a stripling, an alien from his blood or his mother's son.

Gamesters by profession, are a migratory tribe, as strongly marked with peculiarities, as the Gypsies. They have a jargon, that is all their own; a jargon which, interlarded with oaths and blasphemies, is in common use at their board. Also, they have a kind of police belonging exclusively to themselves. Other men form themselves into distinct bodies, for valuable and noble purposes; some for the improvement of the individual members; some for the furtherance of the arts and sciences; and some for promotion of the holy cause of Religion and Morality, and particularly of Charity; and all these have by-laws and regulations corresponding to the worthiness of the ends in view. So, also, Gamesters have a code of laws—the laws of the table—perfectly corresponding, in the main, to the base ends they drive at.

But it may be said, and indeed it has been said, that the laws of the gaming-table prohibit *foul play*, under the penalty of expulsion; that a considerable portion of gamesters are men of rank, and of delicate sense of honour—men who would sooner lose their hearts'blood than trespass upon the rules of the game. Be-it so. The question then arises, What is *foul play?* Its meaning, I believe, is pretty much confined to direct fraud or downright cheating in the management of the cards. This single crime touches the honour, and the *moral sense*, forsooth of gamesters; and the delinquent, if his fraud be manifest, falls under general reprobation, and is no longer considered as fit for the company of gentlemen.—On the other hand, what is *fair play?* Assuredly, it has a marvellous latitude of meaning: for, according to the casuistry of even the most upright and honorable gamesters. "Every advantage may be legitimately taken of the young, the unwary, and the inebriated, which superior coolness, skill, address, and activity can supply." Yes, the gamester may inveigle the unwary youth to the table, and artfully lead him on, step by step, till he has stripped him of his whole patrimony; or he may secretly help to intoxicate a fellow-player, and, taking advantage of his inebriation, instantly plunge him into a condition of wretchedness and ruin—he may do all this, without trespassing on the laws of the game—and much more, and yet be considered as a fair gamester, a gentleman, a man of honor.

The dreadful consequences of gaming are too numerous to be told in a short essay, and some of them are too obvious to need it. I touch not upon the most awful part of the subject—the hopeless death of the unrepenting gamester, and the peculiar terribleness of his audit—Nor will the narrow limits I have prescribed to myself, permit me to detail the deplorable consequences that this practise brings after it upon society at large. I will only mention, therefore, some instances of the harm which gamesters inevitably bring upon themselves in the present life; meaning this for the special benefit of those, who are but in the threshold of the practice.

"Every amiable propensity in the heart of man, every endearing tie, every sacred pledge, every honorable feeling, are set aside and forgotten, when gaming takes possession of the human mind."—This is not said at random; it is the voice of truth and experience, and has been exemplified in many thousand instances. And yet the danger is neither seen nor apprehended by the young beginner. Many a youth of fair promise enters upon the career of gaming, more out of thoughtlessness than viciousness. Not aware of the fraud with which the system is implicated, nor of the train of bad propensities that necessarily enter into the composition of a gamester, he steps into the fatal path without intention of pursuing it far, and without fear of being lost in its labyrinths. But presently the leprosy seizes him, and the plague of it overspread his whole mind and heart. His love of gaming increases alike, whether he gains or loses. It fixes and as it were fascinates his whole attention, so that every thing else is neglected. The company he keeps, the language he hears, the scenes of depredation he daily witnesses, poisons within him the source of moral feeling. The jealousy, the rage, the revenge, incident to the employ in which he is engaged, generate a ferocity of temper. He is lost to all that is good, and prepared for every thing of evil. He that, by habits of honest industry, might have been of competent wealth; he that might have been the source of joy and felicity to an amiable wife, and the father of a progeny that would have blessed his memory; he that might have been an ornament to society, and an honour to the family of man—is, at last, a vagabond—as destitute of property as of principle—the grief and shame of his kindred—despised of the world, and a burthen to himself.

By the Mails.

GEORGIA.

MILLEDGEVILLE, JUNE 16.

Capture of Pensacola.

WE are indebted to Dr. Watkins Postmaster at Fort Claiborne, Alabama Territory, for the following important intelligence, dated,

"*Fort Claiborne, May* 27

"Messrs. Grantlands—I take the liberty of informing you, that General Jackson took possession of the Spanish town of Pensacola, on Sunday, about 10 o'clock, without the fire of a gun. The governor of the place and some of the inhabitants have betaken themselves to the Barancas, with a determination to maintain the post as long as possible.—The general was making preparations to move against the Barancas on Monday morning, when my informant left Pensacola. His force is said to be twelve hundred, and that of the enemy three hundred. The Barancas is strong, situated at the entrance of the harbor; but is commanded by an eminence on which there is a fort. The taking of the latter will insure the former—his soldiers suffered considerably before their arrival at Pensacola for provisions. They had lost all to about 180 horses, but they are represented as being in the very best spirits, and regretting that an opportunity of fighting has not yet offered. This is very pleasing intelligence to this part of the territory. We are in hourly expectation of hearing something further from thence—great numbers of our citizens left this place to-day, for the purpose of visiting the army, and to visit the fall of Barancas.—This may be relied on."

The capture of Pensacola, we think, will bring our affairs with Spain to a crisis—we shall soon have war, or an amicable adjustment of our differences.

☞ Since the above was in type, we we have been favored with an extra of the St. Stephens' Halcyon of the 2d inst. which mentions the fall of the Barancas, in conseuqence of the mutiny of the garrison, after a bombardment of three days, with the loss of two Americans and thirteen Spaniards.—The post rider states, that Gen. Jackson has set out for his residence in Tennessee.

ST. STEPHENS, JUNE 2.

Capture of Pensacola.—By a gentleman on whose word the greatest confidence can be placed, who left Pensacola a few days since, we learn that Gen. Jackson, after having obtained possession of the town of Pensacola, summoned the fort at the Barancas to surrender, on refusal, commenced intrenching with a view of attempting its reduction by regular approaches, and at the same time, the firing began on both sides, with but little effect. After continuing these operations for three days, with the loss of two on the part of the American forces, and thirteen Spaniards, the Governor surrendered—on condition that the Spanish troops, and all the citizens who might wish it, together with a very noted Seminole chief, who was in the fort, should be transported to the Havana at the expence of the American government.

It is said that at the time of surrendering, our forces had proceeded within three hundred yards of the fort; and, that there would have been much longer resistance, on the part of the Spaniards, had not a mutiny taken place amongst them. The flag of the United States is now waving over the walls of the Barancas and in the town of Pensacola.

MARYLAND.

BALTIMORE JUNE 25.

Great Victory by the Patriots.

Capt. Jenkins, who arrived here yesterday in 55 days from Buenos Ayres, states, that the people of that place were all rejoicing in consequence of the Splendid Victory gained over the royalists in Chili; which news reached Buenos Ayres, a few days before he sailed. Upwards of 1000 cannon were fired on the occasion, and the city brilliantly illuminated for three nights. Capt Jenkins has brought papers detailing the particulars; the Peruvian army of 7000 men were totally destroyed, all killed or taken, and no resources left to raise another. The loss of the patriots considerable, 1000 killed. Lima is doubtless in the possession of the Chillan army.

Business dull and many vessels of all nations, lying there. Several vessels from England, fitting out as cruizers.—The brig Ariel, from Baltimore, had arrived at Valparaiso—she was very near being taken by the Spanish frigate Venganza, had she not been assisted by the boats of the United States sloop Ontario

Two of our commissioners left Buenos Ayres on the 24th of April, to embark in the Congress frigate. She had not left the river when the Woodrope Sims sailed. It is probable she will arrive in a week or two.

Judge Bland, it is said, had gone over to Chili about three weeks before the other commissioners left Buenos Ayres

A newspaper, published at Buenos Ayres, under date of April 5, says, "Last Wednesday, a soldier named Nicholas Rebero, was on the point of suffering death, to which he had been condemned for the crime of insubordination towards his commanders.—The ambassadors of the United States, demanded a suspension of the execution of judgment, and accompanied by Mr. Miller, a merchant of N. America, to whom the family of the convicted was related, they went personally to solicit his pardon from his excellency the governor, who granted it immediately.—Such is the commencement of the good effects which the union of the two parts of the New World will prove for humanity"

The same paper remarks, "Although nothing positive has as yet appeared, with regard to the mission of the American Ambassadors, yet their sojourn, and their interviews with the Cabinet, seem to announce the approach of that glorious day which must forever consolidate the liberty of this country. In a short time the inhabitants of their territories will enjoy the fruits of their labors, and the happiness which their patriotism has deserved and obtained for them. The union of all parts of the new territory, is an insurmountable barrier to the ambitious enterprises, and the rapacity of the old"

The following official accounts of the Victory obtained by the Patriots, are translated from our files of Buenos Ayrean papers.

Despatch of Gen. St. Martin.

Head-Quarters, plain of Maypo, April 5, 1818

MOST EXCELLENT SIR,—The checks that the arms of America receive are precursors of her liberty. Your Excellency already knows, that a surprise that could not have been anticipated, and not the valor of the enemy nor the timidity of our troops, gave to him at Licari, a momentary victory, by dispersing in the obscurity of the night a part of our army; but the honour and the constancy of the defenders of the country have this day completely triumphed. The enemy, who had acquired confidence and become elated with pride and ridiculous self-conceit, had the arrogance to approach close to Santiago, upon which our forces had retired. Three days since he passed the Maypo; his movement indicated his intention, when favored by darkness, to repeat the scene of the 19th of the last month; but our brave troops, who knew him, this day marched upon him with the bayonet, at one in the afternoon, notwithstanding he resisted the attack and occupied a commanding position upon the heights. He has been completely routed; more than 1500 prisoners are in our power, with all his artillery and park; the number of killed cannot as yet be ascertained; his dispersion has been complete; our cavalry are still pursuing him.

[Gen. St. Martin then enumerates among the prisoners Gen Ordonnes, and Primo de Rivera, chief of his staff.—He next mentions the officers and troops who behaved well; says his loss has been small, and that he would hereafter give particulars]

(*Signed*)
JOSE DE SAN MARTIN.

To the Supreme Director of the United Provinces.

Another Despatch.

FROM THE SAME TO THE SAME.

H Q. on the field of Maypo, April 5. 1818.

MOST EXCELLENT SIR,—The battle continued from 1 to 6, P. M. The enemy's army exists no more; all who have not been killed, are prisoners. Artillery, 160 officers, all their Generals, except Osobrio, are in our power: I hope that he will be brought to me to-day. The action of the 19th has been retaliated with usury; in a word, there are no enemies in Chili. God preserve your Excellency many years

JOSE DE SAN MARTIN.

Details of Operations.

Extracts from the Despatch of Gen. St. Martin, to the Supreme Director, dated

"*H. Q. Santingo, 9th April*, 1818.

"MOST EXCELLENT SIR—The unexpected event of the night of the 19th ult. in the Cancha Rayada, put in jeopardy the liberty of Chili. It was, indeed, a frightful scene, to see the dispersion of an army, composed of valiant men, full of discipline and instruction, without being beaten.

"Since I opened the campaign, I have been so gratified that I looked on victory as certain, and all my movements were always directed to have it complete and decisive. The enemy, since he abandoned Curico, did not find any position capable of preventing our forces from molesting him in his flanks, and threatening to turn him. Accordingly, both armies fell together, on the 19th, upon Talca, making it impossible to undertake a retreat, or cross over the river Maule.

"This situation, the most desperate, became by an accident the most favorable. Our columns of infantry did not reach us until sun-set, and at that hour it became impossible to undertake an attack on the town. The army was then formed provisionally in two lines, whilst we were reconnoitering for the most advantageous position that it could be placed in, which having selected, I ordered the right wing to occupy it; but this movement was badly executed, and the left was beginning to follow it, when a most brisk and desperate attack from the enemy put in total confusion our baggage and artillery, which was then moving. It was then 9 o'clock, P. M. and this confusion was soon followed by the dispersion of our left, after a brisk firing which lasted half an hour, in which the enemy suffered great loss, and ourselves had the misfortune to see the brave Gen. O'Higgins wounded.

"Myself, with all other chiefs and officers, employed all our efforts to rally them, which at first was effected under the protection of the reserve Here one of the most obstinate engagements again took place, but the night rendered all our measures unavailing, and at last we had no other resourse but to give way."

☞ The dispatch is too long for our limits to-day. The General proceeds to describe his retrogade movements for 13 days, in which he lost all his baggage, materials, &c. to the vicinity of Santiago, (St. Jago) a distance of upwards of 200 miles:—He then states, that though the royalist army followed him with rapidity, he made a stand, re-organized and equipped his army; and on the approach of the royal army, was enabled, by a change of position, to attack it, and to obtain, on the 5th April, the signal victory of Maipo, which has been announced. The Despatch concludes thus:—

"The General in Chief, Osorio, escaped with only about 200 horsemen It is probable he will be taken by the cavalry that pursues him. All his Generals are prisoners, in our possession. The number of the prisoners is 3000, and 190 officers, with a greater part of the chiefs of the corps. The field of battle is covered with 2000 killed All his artillery, parks, hospitals, with the surgeons, military chest—in a word, every thing composing the royal army is dead, prisoner, or in our possession. I compute our loss at 1000 killed and wounded The force of the enemy, of all descriptions, was 5300, and ours 4900

JOSE DE SAN MARTIN."

The following additional article, received from Buenos-Ayres, has been communicated to the Editor of the Evening-Post:—

Buenos-Ayres, April 25. 1818.

"The American frigate left here yesterday, with Messrs. Rodney and Graham on board, Mr. Bland having gone to Chili to join the Ontario. The Royalists under Osorio in Chili, have been completely defeated by San Martin, on the 5th inst. with the loss of 3000 prisoners and a great many killed, besides all their artillery and baggage."

MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, JULY 2.

Latest from England.

The Queensbury Packet, arrived at Halifax June 18, and brought London papers to May 23. Accounts, excepting the marine news, not very interesting. Her Majesty, the Queen of England, had been seriously indisposed, and though recovering from her immediate illness, was thought to be in so precarious a state, as to cause a question to be brought forward, in the House of Lords, concerning the "Custody of the King's person."—The Duke of Wellington had sent his household and equipage from Paris to Cambray; and was expected to follow immediately, having completed the arrangement of *smart* money with the French government. The French Chambers closed their session on the 16th May. The negotiation between Russia and the Porte, are completely at a stand. A beautiful palace of the king of Saxony, situated on the Elbe, and many fine buildings in Copenhagen and in Pomerania have been destroyed by fire. A tavern fracas took place in Cambray, between some French and English officers, on the subject of the battle of Waterloo, in which several lives were lost.

The British government have ordered the building of a number of large frigates, to match old "*Iron Sides*," and other 44 gun frigates in our navy.

A change is talked of in the Cabinet of France, in which the seals are to be given to M. Laine; the two Departments of the Interior and Police, to M. De Cazes, and the Finance to M. Villele.

There are three topics of congratulation in France:—1st—The promise of an abundant harvest;—2d—The approaching departure of the allied troops;—3d—The striking improvement of the Revenue, of which the last quarter, as compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1817, has increased by the sum of 4,461,696 francs

The Halifax and New Brunswick Free Port Bill has been received; it is limited to three years.

NEWPORT,

Saturday, July 4, 1818.

National Anniversary.

This is the Anniversary of the day which gave existence to the American nation; it is the day on which we declared ourselves an independent nation;—and preparations have been made in almost every town in the union to commemorate it, in a dignified and appropriate manner.—By a due observance of this Day, those feelings are excited which are the best pledges for the perpetuation of our liberties, and for awakening a due sense of the value of our civil and political privileges.

Of the Fifty-five Patriots who signed the Declaration of Independence, the following are the only Members who are living on this Anniversary of that memorable event, viz:—Hon. THOMAS JEFFERSON, of Virginia; Hon. JOHN ADAMS, of Massachusetts; Hon. CHARLES CARROLL, of Maryland; and the Hon. WILLIAM ELLERY, of this town.

Spanish Patriots in Chili.

The National Intelligencer of Saturday last thus notices the success of the Patriots in Chili—It probably speaks the language of the Cabinet:—

"The Woodrop Sims, from Buenos Ayres, brings an account of a great victory obtained by the Patriots in Chili.—From another source we learn, that thirteen days before this decisive battle, the Patriots had suffered a defeat. They retreated and recruited—then, collecting their strength into one tremendous effort, relying upon the bayonet alone, crushed at a blow the whole royal army All the particulars of this splendid triumph we have not received; but enough is known to assure us of its decisive character, and to encourage the belief, that it is as certainly the death blow to the royal power in Chili, as we hope it is the precursor of the speedy and total extinction of the Spanish power from the Isthmus to Cape Horn We learn through a private channel, that Judge Bland, one of our commissioners, had set out for Chili (over land we presume;) of course it was not his intention to return in the Congress, if she left Rio de la Plata as early as the first of May, at which time it was expected she would sail."

Extreme Heat.

On Monday last the mercury in the Thermometers in this town rose to 88, which is a greater degree of heat than has been experienced here for several years.—In Boston and Providence the mercury was 96.—Three men died immediately after drinking cold water, on Monday, at New-York.

Mr. Incledon.

By an advertisement in this day's papaper, it will be seen that this gentleman, aided by Mr. TAYLOR and Mr. BROWN, has announced a performance at our Theatre on MONDAY Evening next.—His execution of several of the Songs contained in the advertisement have been pronounced by competent judges, admirable and unrivalled.

Libel Case.

On Wednesday, the 22d ult. before the Supreme Court sitting at New-York came on for trial before Judge Spencer, the cause of Trumbull, vs. Gibbon for a libel; damages laid at $ 100,000. This cause has long excited an uncommon share of public interest, and the trial was numerously attended. The plaintiff was the son-in law of the defendant, having a few years since married his only daughter, who is now dead, having brought him two children.

The libel was contained in a printed pamphlet, and consisted of several calumnies, as we are told, for we have not read it, nor heard it read on the trial, against the plaintiff and against his wife, the defendant's own daughter, charging her with criminal intercourse both before and after her marriage; but which he neither attempted to prove on the trial, to palliate nor deny, but rested the defence on the mere fact of the non-publication of the pamphlet. It was proved that 50 copies were printed; and 5, at least, put into the hands of different persons. The case then presented, in the language of the Judge, an instance of the most atrocious Libel ever heard of in our Courts, accompanied with grossness and impiety. The defendant's circumstances were shown to be those of overgrown wealth; that his yearly income was probably 70,000 dollars. Many expected that the damages would be nearly this sum; but although there were some very respectable and high-minded men on the jury, who would have given a verdict that strongly marked their detestation of the libeller, it seems there were some of a very different complexion. There was it is said a compromise between the highest sum mentioned, $ 60,000, and the lowest sum proposed, $50, and eventually the verdict was rendered for $ 15,000; which, although the largest in this country, is far beneath public expectation, and one that will not sensibly be felt by the defendant.

N. Y. Even. Post.

The Sea-Serpent Again!

The following account of the Sea-Serpent, whilst it fully confirms former statements as to his enormous size, gives a more just idea of his monstrous powers than any which has preceded it. How vast must be the body of a Serpent, that when lying in the water could easily, and for a length of time, support near fifty feet of its length in an erect position above the surface! and how wonderful his strength, who could attack and beat the Whale in mere sport! Is not this the Leviathan indeed?—Capt. West, is a man well-known to us—and the correctness and veracity of his statement will not be doubted by any one who knows him.—*Hallowell Advocate.*

I, SHUBAEL WEST, of Hallowell, in the County of Kennebeck, master of the Packet Delia, plying between Kennebec River and Boston, testify and say, that I left Boston on the morning of Sunday the 21st inst. and at about 6 o'clock, P. M. Cape-Ann bearing W.S.W about 2 leagues, steering N. N. E saw directly a-head, distant three-fifths of a mile, an object which I have no doubt was the SEA-SERPENT so often mentioned by others, engaged with a Whale that was endeavouring to elude the attack. The Serpent threw up his tail from 25 to 30 feet in a perpendicular direction, striking the Whale with tremendous blows, rapidly repeated, which were distinctly heard and very loud, for 2 or 3 minutes. They then both disappeared for several minutes, moving in a W.S.W. direction, when they re-appeared in shore of us, and about under the sun, the reflection of which was so strong as to prevent our seeing so distinctly as before—when the tremendous blows were repeated and as clearly heard as before. They again went down for a short time and again came up to the surface under our larboard-quarter, the Whale appearing first and the Serpent in pursuit—Here our view was very fair. The Serpent shot up his tail through the water to the height above mentioned, which he held out of water some time, waving it in the air; and at the same time, while his tail remained in this position raised his head rather leisurely 15 or 20 feet, as if taking a view of the surface of the sea.—After remaining in this situation a short time, he again sunk into the water, disappeared, and was not seen after by any on board.

The Serpent's body was larger in my opinion, than the mast of any ship I ever saw; his tail appeared very ragged and rough, and was shaped something like an eel's, and his head like that of the land Serpent. Being well-acquainted with whaling, I think the Whale was endeavoring to escape, as he spouted but once at a time on coming to the surface. The Whale's back was distinctly seen, as well as his spouting; and the last time he appeared he went down before the Serpent came up. The above was seen by all on board, amounting to 15 or 18 persons as well as myself, with the exception of one woman.

During our view the combatants had passed a mile or more. The Whale was a hump back, and a pretty large one.

SHUBAEL WEST.

Hallowell, June 27, 1818

Then the above-named Shubael West, personally appeared before me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace within and for the county of Kennebec, and made solemn oath that the above statement of facts by him subscribed is just and true.

A. MANN.

In addition to the above, the Portland Gazette of Tuesday last, adds the following further notice of this famous denizen of old Ocean:—"Yesterday several boats came up to town from the fishing ground, the people in whom report having seen his *Snak-ship* on Saturday, about one league from our harbour, coiled up in the manner described by others. On nearing him he suddenly extended his head 10 or 12 feet above the water, which induced the boat to retreat. As our harbour does not afford any of his favourite food, it is supposed he will shortly return to his friends in Cape Ann"

From Jamaica.

We have accounts from Jamaica to the 4th of June, which mention, that a severe shock of Earthquake was felt at Kingston on the 24th of May. The U. S. Navigation Act, was received there on the 30th May.

From Antigua.

A letter from a planter in Antigua, to his correspondent in New-York, dated the 8th of June, speaking of our Navigation Act, says, "our supplies must come through Bermuda, at an expense that will be heavy, for the goods must be clogged with double freight, commissions, and various other charges."

It is mentioned in the Charleston papers, that Lieut. Caldwell, of the Prometheus, has received a flesh wound in a duel with Lieut. Taylor of the Lynx.

The Hessian Fly, it appears by the Albany papers, is making great havoc in the wheat fields in the neighborhood of that city. In some fields in Bethlehem and Guilderland, it is supposed the farmer will scarcely reap a quantity equal to the seed he had sown. Barley is also injured by the fly. Grass promises an abundant crop, and corn looks remarkably well.

Anniversary Celebration.

The Anniversary of American Independence will be celebrated in this Town THIS DAY, July 4th.—The following is the Order of Procession, adopted by the Committee of Arrangements:

1. Artillery Company, under command of Col. RANDOLPH.
2. Militia Officers, General, Regimental and Staff.
3. Major-General and Suite.
4. Officers of the U. S. Army and Navy
5. Members of the General Assembly, and Officers of the State Government
6. Members of Congress, Foreign Consuls, and Officers of the U. S. Government
7. Justices of the State Courts, and their Clerks.
8. Town-Council, Treasurer and Clerk, preceded by the Town-Sergeant.
9. Marine Society.
10. Associations of Mechanics, &c.
11. Citizens and Strangers.
12. Reverend Clergy, Orator, &c.
13. Committee of Arrangements.

Capts. JOSHUA TRIPP and WILLIAM N. G. HELME, and Lieut. ERASTUS P. ALLEN, are appointed Marshals of the Procession.

The Rev. Mr. ELTON and the Rev. Mr. WEBB will offer up Prayers—the Declaration of Independence will be read by Major WILLIAM E. WILLIAMS, and the Oration will be pronounced by Mr. WILLIAM SIMONS. A full Choir of Singers, under the direction of Capt. MOSES NORMAN, will perform a variety of select music.

The Procession will form at 10 o'clock, on the Parade—move from thence into Spring-street, down Franklin-street, up Thames-street, to the 2d Baptist Meeting-House.

☞ The Meeting-house will be open for the reception of the Ladies, at 9 o'clock, who will occupy the wall pews, reserving the body pews for the Procession, and the front seats in the gallery for the Singers.

Citizens from the country are invited to attend the celebration of our National Birth-Day

By order of the Committee of Arrangements.

CONSTANT TABER, *Chairman.*
A. THURSTON, *Secretary.*

Married,

At Fairhaven, on the 15th ult. Mr. OLIVER SLOCUM of this town, to Miss RUTH SISSON, of the former place.

In this town on Sunday evening last, by the Rev Mr. Eddy, Mr. JAMES TUELL to Miss ELIZABETH CLARKE, daughter of William Clarke.

Died,

At Providence, on Sunday morning last, Colonel HENRY SMITH, aged 51 years, formerly first Senator of the Legislature of this State.

In this town on the 25th ult. Mrs. ANN MARSHALL, widow of Mr. Peter Marshall, aged 75 years.

Ship News.

PORT OF NEWPORT,
July 4, 1818.

ENTERED,

Brig Calypso, Beal,	Isle of May
Schooner Diadamia, Carr,	New-York
Sloop Sally, Fox,	ditto

CLEARED,

Schooner Baltic, Bailey,	Bermuda
Sloop Union, Morse,	Georgetown
Morning-Star, Wood,	Newbern
B. D. Jones, Cahoone,	New-York
Shepherdess, Bliven,	ditto
Halcyon, Bliss,	ditto
Ann Maria, Gardner,	ditto

Arrived at this port on Saturday last, in distress, Brig Sally, Clarkson, from Wilmington bound to Liverpool, with a cargo of naval stores, staves, &c.—The Sally sailed from Wilmington on the 18th June, and on the 19th experienced a severe gale of wind, which continued 48 hours; in the gale sprung the head of the foremast, and the brig leaking badly, was compelled to throw over the deck load, and to steer for this port to refit

Arrived on Tuesday, Brig Calypso, Beale, 32 days from the Isle of May, with salt, bound to Boston, put in for orders. Sailed in co, with brig Sarah, Atwood, for Boston.—Left there, ship Recovery, King, for Philadelphia in 8 days; Gen. Scott, Coffin, for Hudson in 4 days; brig Pilgrim, Dolano, of Bath, just arrived; Dove, Barrett of Alexandria, from Madeira, to sail in 8 days, and a sch'r for Philadelphia in 5 days.—On Sunday last spoke the U. S. ship Alert, 3 days from Boston for Norfolk.

The Brig Hebe, Phillips, of this port, arrived at Alexandria on Saturday last, in 39 days from Madeira.

The Ship Ocean, Burroughs, of this port, arrived at Bristol (Eng.) May 14 from New York.

The Steam-Boat Experiment, belonging to Gen. Dayton of Elizabethtown, N. J. sailed from that place on Saturday, in tow of one of the Union line of Packets for Philadelphia.—On the same evening, while still in tow about four hours sail outside the Hook the Steam Boat suddenly sunk. The man at the helm, who was the only person then on board, was saved.

RUM & GIN,

L. ROUSMANIERE,
No. 2, Market-Square,
Has for constantly for Sale,

NEW RUM by the Hogshead or Barrel, at Distill-house price.
A L S O,
Jencks' best RYE GIN.
Newport, July 4.

NEW GOODS.

ROBERT P. LEE,
Will open on Monday next, and be offered for Sale at his Store, No. 114, Thames-Street.

BROADCLOTHS; Cassimeres; black Bombazetts; Calicoes; black sinchaws and Sarsnetts; green lutestring; Italian and Canton Crapes; India Cottons; 4-4 and 6-4 white cotton Cambrics; linen ditto; dimities; Irish linens; 5-4 Irish sheeting; Russia ditto; super maddapollam and steam loom Shirtings; Russia and American diaders; Ravens Duck; blue and yellow Nankins; book Muslins; mull ditto; plain and figur'd leno's; long lawns; brown linens, marking canvas; men's and women's cotton and worsted Hosiery; silk and cotton Velvets; white and color'd marseilles Vesting; black florentine ditto; white jean; white and color'd plain silk Shawls; imitation merino ditto, with handsome borders; ladies fancy silk Handkerchiefs; pink Ginghams; garniture ribbons; gentlemen's beaver Gloves; ladies black and white silk ditto; white and color'd kid ditto; black silk, flag and bandanno Handkerchiefs; madrass and children's ditto; Gentlemen's white cravats; India chex; sewing Silks, all colours; 28 & 30 inch cotton Umbrellas of the first quality, with horn handles; oil cloths; buttons, cotton floss, pins needles, millinetts, combs, fine crash, tapes, bobbins, &c. &c,

N. B.—R. P. LEE keeps constantly on hand, an Assortment of AMERICAN GOODS, such as Cotton Warp, knitting Cotton, Chex, Bedticks, Stripes and Ginghams, Shirtings, cotton threads, &c.
Newport, July 4. 4w

Sales at Auction.

Isle of May Salt, afloat.

On TUESDAY, July 7th,
At XII o'clock A. M will be Sold in front of Mr. TOWNSEND's Coffee-House

THE Cargo of the Brig CALYPSO consisting of Three Thousand Bushels Isle of May SALT, of the new crop white and very coarse—Samples of which may be seen at the Store of *James Townsend.*—Terms, Cash on delivery.

JAMES TOWNSEND, *Auc'r.*
Newport, July 4

On WEDNESDAY, July 15th,

At XI o'clock A. M. will be Sold at Public Auction, on the premises.

THE whole of the Estate of the late *Oliver R. Warner*, deceased, consisting of the Dwelling-House, Wharf, &c. fronting on Thames-street, and extending to the salt water.—The above will be sold for the benefit of the heirs of said estate.—Conditions made known at the time and place of Sale.—For further particulars, apply to

BENJ. PAGE, or
CHRIS. FOWLER.
Newport, June 12.

On WEDNESDAY, July 22d.

At 12 o'clock A. M will be Sold at Public Auction, on the premises, if fair, if not, the first fair day after, by Virtue of a Decree of the Supreme Judicial Court, holden at Newport, on the 4th Monday of August, 1816.

THAT Valuable Real Estate in Tiverton, formerly the homstead Farm of Col JOHN COOKE, and lately owned by Capt. ELISHA BROWN, of Tiverton, aforesaid, Merchant, deceased, with the buildings thereon, consisting of a large Dwelling-House, two barns, corn house, store and other buildings, the whole in complete order, and the Farm consisting of about 160 Acres of meadow, pasture and tillage Land, with an excellent Orchard.—The whole will be sold together, or in lots, to suit purchasers.—The Conditions will be made known at the time and place of Sale.

DAVID DURFEE, jun. }
RHODA BROWN, } *Adm'rs*
Tiverton, June 16, 1818.

On MONDAY, August 3, 1818,

At XI o'clock A. M. will be Sold at Public Auction, on the premises.

THAT pleasantly situated Dwelling-House and Lot of Land, at the south end of Thames-street, belonging to the heirs of the late Capt. *Stephen Cahoone*—Terms liberal, and made known at the Sale.

WILLIAM LOVIE, *Auc'r.*
Newport, July 3.

THEATRE.

Positively for One Night Only.

MR. INCLEDON,
From the Theatre Royal, Covent Garden.
MR. BIANCHI TAYLOR,
From the King's Theatre; and
MR. BROWN,
From the Theatre Royal, Hay Market;

RESPECTFULLY beg leave to announce to the Ladies and Gentlemen of NEWPORT, that on MONDAY EVENING, July 6th, at the Theatre, they will have the honor of presenting a Miscellaneous Performance, entirely new, in three parts, called

The Wandering Minstrels.

Written by C. Coleman, Esq. Author of the Iron Chest, Inkle and Yarico, &c. consisting of interesting oral matter, embracing a variety of subjects, and introductory to a number of the best selected SONGS, composed by the most eminent masters; with some ancient national Irish and Scots melodies. The recitations and comic Songs by Mr. Brown; the songs accompanied on the piano forte by Mr. Taylor.

PART I.

1. Address to the Audience. Song, Mr. Incledon, The Birth of Liberty, or Washington's Star.
2. Recitation——Exordium——Subject proposed—Summer Tour. Song, Mr. Brown, Jockey said to Jenny.
3. Highway Accidents, a Crash, Irish Hospitality. Song, Mr. Taylor, Thine am I, my faithful Fair.
4. An Invitation, Bacon and Eggs and old Port. Song, Mr. Incledon, Encompass'd in an Angel's Frame.
5. Soldiers' Welcome and Misfortunes.
6. A Prisoner, a Reprieve and a Wedding, Song, Mr. Brown, Mr. Mullins and Miss Whack
7. Reflections—Poor Jack and more Company Song, Mr. Incledon, Gay's much-admired old ballad of Black-eyed Susan.

PART II.

1. Crossing the water, a Seaman. Song, Mr. Incledon, Blow high, Blow low.
2. Wanderings and a Yorkshireman Song, Mr. Brown, Madam Fig's Gala.
3. A Miller, a Supper, the Sports of the Field.
4. Stopping the Way, a Storm and a Jovial Crew. Song, Mr. Taylor Fly not yet.
5. Brother Jonathan and Signior Squallini. Song, Mr Brown, The Benevolent Jew
6. Shadow and Substance, a Driver too cautious, and an old Favorite. Song, Mr. Incledon (Scots Melody) Bruce's Address to his Army; or Scots, wha ha'e wi' Wallace bled.

PART III.

1. Philadelphia, the Quay, an old Acquaintance. Song, Mr. Incledon, The Sailor's last Whistle.
2. A Party, a General, a Quaker, &c Song, Mr. Taylor, When the Rose-Bud of Summer.
3. An Irishman, a Banshee. Song, Mr. Brown, John Hobs, or a Wife to be sold.
4. An Altercation and the benevolent Friend. Song Mr. Incledon, Quaker Song, Dibdin.
5. Mr. Prig, Law Terms, Definition of a Squeeze, Victory! Washington!! Address of Thanks.

To conclude with G. A. Stevens' celebrated Description of a Storm, by Mr. Incledon.

☞ Boxes 1 Dollar, Pit 50 Cents, Gallery 25 cents.—Tickets and place, for the Boxes may be taken at the Box-Office of the Theatre on the day of performance. Doors open at a quarter before 7, and Curtain to rise at a quarter before 8.

Newport, July 4, 1818

Vessel Wanted.

WANTED to Ship, One Hundred Chaldrons of *Rhode-Island COAL*, in small Vessels, to be delivered at Troy, (North-River.)—*Also*, Forty Chaldrons to New-York.—Apply to the Agent at the Coal Mines.
Portsmouth, July 3.

For SALE, or to LET,

THE Dwelling-House in Spring-Street, belonging to Capt. *Benjamin H. Rathbone*; being pleasantly situated, and having a large Garden well filled with choice Fruit Trees.—*Also, for Sale at the above House*, A variety of Household Furniture.—For terms, apply to

J. G. & S. WHITEHORNE.
Newport, July 4.

Five Dollars Reward.

STOLEN from the House of the Subscriber, early yesterday morning, a superfine blue cloth Surtout, a new beaver Hat, and a striped gingham short Coat.—Whoever will restore the above articles to the subscriber, shall receive a Reward of FIVE DOLLARS.

SAMUEL WHITEHORNE.
Newport, July 4, 1818.

LIST OF LETTERS,

Remaining in the Post-Office Newport, R. I. June 30, 1818.

☞ Those who may apply, will please to say *advertised*, when calling for them.

ADAMS Asher
Anderson Francis jr.
Adamson Eliza B.
Barlow Capt E 2 lt.
Baker Rev Luther
Bowers John 2 let.
Banister Mary
Bennet Mrs. Patience
Bowley Samuel
Barne, Rebecca
Burgess Mary
Baldwin E
Bowne Robert H.
Burdick Freelove
Bailey Mrs. Ann
Brayton Luther
Batty William
Bogar Elenor E.
Bailey William
Bowers Mrs. Mary
Capron Nancy
Comstock Jesse
Cary James
Chandalier Mrs. D.
Calef Zackariah
Clark Thomas jun.
Cook Job
Coggeshall Thomas
Chandler Sally
Carpenter Martha
Davis Mary
Durfee Benjamin
Dennis Peter
Dexter Samuel
Dennis John
Durfey Richard
Easton Mrs Ruth
Esdal Capt James
Forrester Jane
Gladding John jun.
Gorton Capt Charles
Hull Katherine P.
Helme Fanny
Heath John (Packet Master)
Horswell Burgess
Hubbard Thomas G
Handy John
Hazard Sylvester R.
Johnson Mrs.
Jouvet Peter
Knight William
Kauli Eliza
Lawton Ruth
Lawton Adam
Luke Abraham
Leach Dr Levi
Livingston Levi
Love Samuel C.
Lefler Capt Jeremiah
Leonard Capt. L.
Martin Simeon
Mc'Kinney Col J 2
Myres Capt. Henry
Mumford Abby
Mitchell Lewis
Mc'Coyres William
Morton John
Moore Wm. A. F.
Millwood Mrs E.
Minerd Lemuel
Nason Abby
Oakley William
Pike John
Palmer Lydia
Parker Charles
Peabody Elizabeth
Palmer John 3 let.
Phillips Katherine
Peterson John
Perry Joseph
Paine Caleb
Peckham Daniel
Paterson Cornelius D.
Peabody Jeremiah
Richmond Dr. T.
Rhenuch Mary
Redding James
Smith Sally M.
Slocum Oliver
Stevens Charles
Staut Joseph L.
Spencer Rosanna
Swain Capt. Joseph 2
Tennant John
Terry Ambrose
Taylor Warren
Therston Edward
Vernon Daniel jun.
Wilcox Jesse
Watson Samuel
Wheelwright J. H. 2
Wilcox Elizabeth
Wilson John 2 let.
Well Martha & Judith
Witham Mary
Wheeler Samuel G.
Watson Amos
Whiton Capt W.
Wilkey Samuel
Ward Abby

Middletown.

Almy Samuel
Barker Asa
Coggeshall William
Card Richard
Littlefield William
Mitchell Jethro M.
Smith George
Sanford Peleg
Whitman Oliver

Jamestown.

Eldred Capt. John

New-Shoreham.

Sands Ray
Sands Nathaniel G.
Wait Mrs. Harriet

Army

Bragdon Jonathan
Webber Lt. John A.

Navy

Conner Lt. T A. 2

☞ No Letters delivered on the Sabbath—Nor after the Office is shut.

☞ Letters marked "PAID" and put into the Box without being actually paid, will not in future be forwarded to their place of destination, but will be sent to the General Post-Office.—It is time this infamous practice ceased, and no honest man would be guilty of it.

Dupont's Powder, &c.

DUPONT's Brandywine POWDER every quality
Superfine and Fine FLOUR.
Brown SUGAR.—*For Sale by*
W. C. or S. F. GARDNER.
Newport, July 4.

Philadelphia FLOUR.

A FEW Barrels of Philadelphia Superfine FLOUR, of an excellent quality for families use, for Sale by
BENJAMIN HADWEN.
Newport, 4th of 7th mo. 1818.

TO LET,

THE BRICK HOUSE, No. 28, in Thames-Street.—Apply to
S. MALBONE.
Newport, April 24.

TO LET,

THE Estate on Washington-Square lately occupied by the Hon. WM. HUNTER and next above the Bank of Rhode-Island.—Apply to
B. HAZARD.
Newport, June 12.

FOR SALE,

THE FARM now occupied by the Subscriber, situated on the west road from Newport, about 2 and 1-2 miles from Bristol ferry, and the south part adjoining the cross road within about 50 rods of the Methodist meeting-house and the turnpike road. The Farm contains about 35 Acres of mowing, orchard and well improved tillage land, divided into 14 lots, well fenced with stone wall.—Three of said lots are excellent young orchards, one of 3, and the other of one acre each, all bearing grafted fruit, from which was gathered last year upwards of 300 bushels of Tulman sweeting and greening apples, exclusive of other kinds of apples, and eleven barrels of cider.—There is on the farm, two dwelling-houses, two barns, two cribs, and two good wells of water.—For further particulars, apply to
THOMAS CORY.
Portsmouth, July 2.

POETRY.

For the Newport Mercury.

ODE,

For the Anniversary of American Independence, A. D. 1818.

HAIL! to the glorious Jubilee,
When Freedom first uprear'd her Tree,
Her Banner bright unfurl'd;—
And blessing th' auspicious hour,
She, from the yoke of Tyrant Pow'r,
Redeem'd a captive World.—

Brave were the hearts that freely bled,
To Heav'n their spirits nobly fled,
In ceaseless joy to dwell;
And the worn vet'rans who surviv'd,
Neglected—tho' a Nation thriv'd,—
O! be they cherish'd well.

Let each harmonious breast rejoice,
Nor Faction disunite the voice,
That speaks Columbia's Fame;
But fervently, from Pole to Pole,
Let public peals, and plaudits, roll,—
Our Gratitude proclaim.—

Hail! Freedom, best and choicest bliss!
Thy hallow'd presence, who would miss
Upon thy festal day?—
To Thee, our songs, our Pæans rise,
To Thee, a Seraph in the Skies,
With rapture ever gay.

CIVIS.

MEMORY.

HOW fond Remembrance seeks to trace
The Moon-light walk, the shady grove!
Scenes, which no day can e'er erase,
From the soft tablature of Love.

A thousand rapt'rous feelings dear,
By Sympathy, or Fancy brought,
So sweet, yet ah! so insincere,—
Glide swiftly o'er th' enamour'd thought

Oh! when shall hours so blest return,
And Heav'n its promis'd peace restore,
Or sunk in Time's oblivious urn,
Must Happiness ne'er gladden more?

C.

P. & J. EASTON,

Have for Sale at their Store on Banister's Wharf, No. 15.

SUGARS, Loaf, Powdered, and Brown; Salt, Flour, Butter, Tobacco, assia, Figs, Nutmegs, Almonds, Starch, Ginger, Pimento, Paints, white and red Lead yellow ochre, spanish brown, glue copperas, saltpetre, essence of Spruce in boxes; Sweet Oil, corks, earthen Ware; Sherry, Colmenar and sweet Malaga WINES; oak boards, cedar and pine Shingles, New-York Soap; Window Glass 7 by 9, and 6 by 8; 7 tubs Steel, and two casks moulds for horse shoes.

ALSO,

An Assortment of DRY GOODS by the piece.

Newport, July 18, 1817. tf

Commissioners' Notice.

THE Subscribers having been appointed by the Court of Common Pleas, at their term holden at Newport, within and for the county of Newport, on the third Monday of May instant Commissioners or Assignees of the estate of PETER P. REMINGTON, an insolvent debtor, to receive, examine and allow the claims against said Estate, hereby notify the creditors of the said *Peter P. Remington*, that they must exhibit and prove to us their respective claims against said Estate within nine months from the date hereof, or they will be precluded according to law—All persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make payment within sixty days, to either of the Assignees, and thereby prevent the disagreeable alternative of putting their demands into the hands of an Attorney for collection.

ROBERT ROGERS,
JOSIAH C. SHAW,
DUTEE J. PEARSE.

Newport, May 25, 1818.

FOR SALE,

THAT convenient two-story Dwelling-House in Newport, situated in Spring-Street, with a yard, garden and a good well of water.

Also for Sale,

About 100 Acres of Land, situated in North-Kingstown, about 4 miles from Gardner's ferry, and 5 from Wickford; the soil is good, well watered, and principally covered with timber, such as white and yellow bark oak, suitable for house and ship timber—Any person wishing to purchase either of the above described premises, may know the terms by applying to the subscriber in North-Kingstown.

NATHAN G. HAZARD.

South-Kingstown, Nov. 21.

FLOUR.

HENRY POTTER,

Has just received and for Sale at his Store,

50 barrels Alexandria FLOUR, selected for families use.
20 Jars Preserved FRUITS, fresh from Havanna

Also on hand,

800 Bushels Turks-Island SALT
200 do. coarse Liverpool Do.
300 do. Oats
1500 wt. prime CHEESE,
40 bbls. Prime and Mess PORK.
1 bbl. Sounds and Tongues.

Newport, June 20.

Peleg Weaver,

At his old stand, No. 59, Thames street, one door north of Mr. Green Burroughs's.

WHERE he has for Sale, the following PAINTS, viz:—

White Lead (dry)	Bright Varnish
do. ground in oil	Copal do
Paris White	Japan do
Spanish do.	Gum Copal
do. Brown	Gum Shellack
Red Lead	Rotten Stone
Vermillion	Black Lead
English Yellow	Dutch Glue
Patent do	Lamp black
Chrome do	Paint Brushes of all sizes
American do	Tools and fitches of all sizes
Umber	Camel's hair Pencils
Rose Pink	White Wash Brushes
Verdigris (dry)	Window Glass of all sizes
do ground in oil	Putty, &c. &c.
Prussian Blue	
Gold Leaf	
Linseed Oil boiled and unboiled	
Spirits of Turpentine	

All of which articles will be sold on the most reasonable and accommodating terms.

N. B.—Painting and Glazing in all its various branches, carried on as usual.

Newport, March 20.

SHOE-STORE.

CALEB TRIPP,

Informs his Friends and the public in general.

THAT he has just received and for sale at his Store No 167, Thames Street, and nearly opposite Mr. *George Engs's* Hardware Store, a general Assortment of Ladies and Gentlemen's Morocco and Leather SHOES, warranted of the first quality.

ALSO,

A new supply of Morocco and binding Skins, boot webbing and cord.

N. B.—Constantly on hand, an Assortment of Gentlemen's long and short BOOTS, of his own manufacture.

Newport, May 29.

FOR SALE,

THAT well-finished and convenient Dwelling-House and Lot, lately occupied by Mr. *Nathaniel Coggeshall*, corner of Mary and Division-streets, and containing four rooms on each floor.

ALSO,

That very extensive and beautiful Lot containing about 3-4ths of an Acre of Land, situated in Spring-street, between Prospect-hill and Pelham street, and formerly belonging to Capt. *Jacob Smith*. The Garden on the east end of the Lot contains a variety of excellent Fruit trees, bushes, flower roots, &c. and is laid out in a very handsome style, with a summer-house in the rear.—In point of situation for a Building Lot, it perhaps cannot be excelled in the town of Newport—The Lot is enclosed with good fences.

Likewise, Half of an undivided House and Lot adjoining the same, and bounded on Prospect Hill.

If the above is not Sold before the third Monday of October next, it will on that day be Sold at Public Auction

For further particulars and terms, which will be liberal, apply to

STEPHEN CAHOONE.

Newport, June 12.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers being appointed Administrators on the Estate of JOSEPH BARKER, late of Tiverton, deceased, and having given bonds as the law directs, requests all persons who have claims against said estate to present the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, to

MARGARET BARKER, *Adm'x.*
BENJAMIN FREEBORN, of Portsmouth, *Adm'r.*

Tiverton, 27th of 4th mo. 1818.

NEW CHARTS,

William H. Rathbone,

Has just received, and for Sale at the sign of the Quadrant, No. 71, Thames-street.

BLUNT's New and much improved CHART of the Coast of North-America, commencing at New-York, and extending to the Gulf of Mexico, on 7 sheets.—On this Chart the whole Southern Coast is delineated; when it arrives at lat. 27, 30, N. an additional Sheet is annexed, which correctly points out the Passages over the Bahama Bank, through Providence Channel, down the Island of Cuba to New-Orleans.

Charts of the West-Indies on large and small scales.

Blunt's Pilot for the Atlantic or Western Ocean.

A correct Chart of the River Missippi, with directions—together with a complete Assortment of other CHARTS, embracing every Coast and Sea to which Commerce extends.

Also Bowditch's Practical Navigator, American Coast Pilot; Nautical Almanacks for 1818 and 1819; Seamanship in theory and practice; Cargo Books; blank Journals; Writing, Letter and Log Paper; Quadrants; Telescopes; Spy Glasses; parallel Rules; Cases of Instruments; Compasses; Gunter's scales and dividers; ink-powder, waters lead and slate pencils—and where Gentlemen bound to sea, may furnish themselves with every article, for long or short voyages.

ALSO,

Constantly for Sale as heretofore,

A general Assortment of Ship-Chandlery and Groceries.

Newport, May 17.

Linseed Oil, Paints, &c.

William W. Vernon,

No. 118, Thames-Street,

HAS for Sale, Linseed-Oil by the barrel; Paints, Window Glass, Putty, &c.—By sending the dimensions of a Vessel, House or Room, his friends can be supplied with a sufficient quantity of Paints and Oil for the same.—*Also for Sale*, Painter's Brushes and Tools, of every description; house and white-wash Brushes; black and bright Varnish; PAINTS of all kinds, dry and ground in Oil; Linseed-Oil, boiled and unboiled.—All which he will sell as low as can be purchased in this Town.

Painting and Glazing,

Carried on as usual.

He returns his sincere thanks to his former customers, and solicits a continuance of their favors.

For Sale,

A Dwelling-House and Lot of Land, pleasantly situated on the Hill.

Wanted as above, A Journeyman Painter, of steady habits and a good workman.—*Also*, One or two honest active Boys as Apprentices—those from the Country would be preferred.

Newport, May 29.

JAMES TOWNSEND,

Respectfully acquaints his former customers and the public,

THAT he continues the GROCERY BUSINESS, at his stand, corner of Banister's Wharf, and will sell for CASH as low as any Store in Town.—He will also transact business on Commission.

Newport, Feb. 27.

TO LET,

THE Dwelling-House and Garden (late the estate of *C. C Hoskins*) for the Summer season, or for One Year; furnished or not furnished, as may suit the applicants.—The Garden, is now planted with every kind of vegetables for the use of a family.—For terms, &c. apply to

JOHN L. BOSS.

Newport, May 29.

TO LET,

THAT part of the Dwelling-House of the Subscriber's, which was lately occupied by the *Rhode-Island Union Bank.—Also*, The Store in Thames-street now occupied by *Abraham & George Tilley*, as a Rope Store.—For terms, &c. apply to

ROBERT STEVENS.

Newport, June 5.

NOTICE.

LEFT at the Store of the Subscriber about a year since, by some person unknown, a coil of RIGGING.—The owner proving property, and paying charges, may have it again, by applying to

ELIJAH SHEARMAN.

Newport, June 16.

Salt, Earthen Ware, &c.

SIMEON MARTIN,

Has for Sale at his Store No. 2. Church-Street.

THREE Thousand Bushels of the best quality St. Ubes SALT—*Also*, A good assortment of Liverpool Earthen Ware.—All which articles he will sell at wholesale and retail, cheap or Cash, or approved Notes.

TO LET,

The large two-story Dwelling-House in Division-street, and the Shop at the corner of Thames and Church-streets Immediate possession will be given.—Apply as above.

Newport, April 3. tf

SILAS DEAN,

Has for Sale at his Store, next South of the Post-Office, and on his Wharf, at wholesale and Retail.

A GREAT Variety of English GOODS, among which are:—superfine black, blue and mixt Broadcloths; do. do. Cassimeres; middling and low priced Cloths and Plains; Bombazetts and Flannels; black and colored silk and cotton Velvets; mens silk, cotton and worsted Hose; women's do. do. very fine; fine British Shirtings, and Cambrics; Calicoes and Dimities brown Cottons; white Jeans; best yellow red brown and flag Bandannoes superfine scarlet Cassimere Shawls Men's best London Hats

ALSO,

Boston Mess and No. 1 Beef; Salt; Nails; Steel; Oak and Pine Plank and Boards; superfine Philadelphia Flour 250 shooks; cordage, &c.. &c.

Newport Jan. 16 tf

Underwood & Stevens,

House, Ship & Sign Painters, No. 116, Thames-street.

INFORM their friends and the public that they have just received, and offer for sale, a complete assortment of

Paints, Oil, Window-Glass, &c.

As low as can be purchased in the State among them are the following, with a great number of other articles:—

London white Lead	Dutch Pink
do Red Lead	Rose do
Black Lead	Smalt
Spanish White	White Vitriol,
Paris White	Gold Leaf
Spanish Brown	Gum Shellack
Purple do	Linseed Oil boiled or unboiled
Venetian Red	Spirits of Turpentine
French Yellow	Black Varnish
English do.	Bright Varnish
Chrome do	Copal Varnish
Patent do.	House, Paint and Whitewash Brushes
Verdigrise	
Umber	
Lethargo	
Prussian Blue	

☞ By sending the dimensions of a vessel house or rooms, their friends can be supplied with a sufficient quantity of Paints and Oil for the same.

Newport, May 15.

Soldiers Bounty Lands,

In the Illinois Territory

THE Subscriber having a Correspondent in the City of Washington, well acquainted with all the Military Lands, and with the proper forms relative to Land Warrants, Land Patents, and transfers of the same, offers his services to those persons in this quarter of the Country, who wish to procure Land Warrants or Land Patents, or to have any other business transacted in the City of Washington.

The Subscriber will either purchase the Land Patents, or send the Deeds on to be recorded in the Illinois Territory.

JOSIAH C. SHAW.

Newport, June 12.

FOR SALE,

THE COTTON Farm, (so called) containing 180 Acres of good land pleasantly situated on the east side of Rhode-Island, about 5 miles from Newport, in the town of Portsmouth, with a Dwelling-House, and other necessary buildings, such as barns, crib, sheds, &c.—For terms, &c. which will be liberal, apply to

DANIEL CHASE.

Portsmouth 14th of 11th mo.

TO LET,

And immediate Possession given,

THE Dwelling-House and Garden opposite Liberty-Tree, and next door north of *William Ellery*, Esq.—For terms, &c. apply to

SILAS DEAN.

Newport, May 22.

Emigrant's Guide.

Wm. & J. H. Barber,

Have just received, A few more Copies of

The Emigrant's Guide to the Western and Southwestern States and Territories;—comprising a Geographical description of the States of Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky, and Ohio;—the Territories of Alabama Missouri, Illinois, and Michigan; and the western parts of Virginia Pennsylvania, and New-York. With a complete List of the Roads and River Routes, west of the Aleghany Mountains, and the connecting Roads from New-York, Philadelphia, and Washington City, to New-Orleans, St. Louis, and Pittsburg The whole comprising a more comprehensive Account of the Soil, Productions, Climate, and present state of Improvement of the Regions described, than any Work hitherto published.—Accompanied by a Map of the United States, including Louisiana, &c—By WILLIAM DARBY.—Price $3.

Newport, May 22.

Paper-Hangings.

Just received from New-York and Boston, and now opening at

George Wanton's

Book and Hat Store.

LOW priced and elegant FRENCH PAPER-HANGINGS, for rooms and window curtains, which he will sell cheaper than were ever before offered for sale in this Town.

Also just received,

New-York best Beaver HATS, of the most fashionable shape—one case of wide brims

Blank Writs and Executions,

of the most approved forms—for sale as above.

Newport, June 5. 6w

UNION HOTEL.

JOHN COOK,

Informs the public in general, and his friends in particular,

THAT he has taken the noted House of Col. *James Perry's*, No. 120, Thames-Street, lately improved by Mr. Dows as a Public House, and in which he proposes to accommodate Ladies and Gentlemen who may do him the honor to call upon him, with the best fare the market may afford.—No exertions shall be wanting to gratify and oblige—The best of Liquors will be ready at command, and good keeping for Horses constantly provided.

Newport, April 24.

A Valuable Farm for Sale.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale his FARM, called the Fothering-place Farm, on Point Judith, in South-Kingstown, containing about 400 Acres of most excellent Land, more than 200 of which adjoins Point Judith Pond.—It has the most extensive shore of any Farm adjoining the Pond, and by far the best drawing places for bass, alewives, perch, &c. of any other. It will be sold very reasonably, and the terms made easy.—Apply to

CARDER HAZARD.

Norwich, (Con.) May 6

NOTICE.

A RECRUITING RENDEZVOUS is opened for the 6th Repiment U. S. Infantry, at No. 5, Long-Wharf All those disposed to enter the service of their country, are requested to call.

B. WATSON, *Major U. S. Army.*

Newport, Feb. 20, 1817. tf

NOTICE.

WE the Subscribers having been appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate for the town of Richmond, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims of the creditors against the estate of GEORGE PERRY, late of Richmond, deceased, represented insolvent, give notice, that twelve months from the date hereof, are allowed the creditors to exhibit their claims to us; and that we will attend for that purpose at the Inn of Thomas James, in said Richmond, on the first Mondays of May and September next, and at the Inn of George W. Hazard, in Richmond, on the first Mondays of July, November and January next.

JEFFERY HAZARD } *Comm'rs.*
SAMUEL PERRY, }

All persons indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to

ROBERT PERRY, *Adm'r.*

Richmond, March 2, 1818.